

## WHERE & WHO WE ARE

**U.S. Army Europe** has approximately 40,000 Soldiers supporting three combatant commands, including combat and enabling units that provide command and control, training, communications, installation support, intelligence, air defense, medical and sustainment capabilities.



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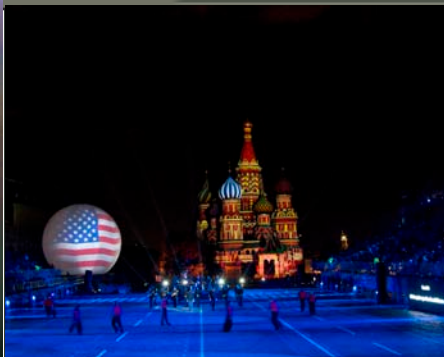
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STRONG SOLDIERS,  
STRONG TEAMS



SNAPSHOT: RECURRING ANNUAL EXERCISES SUPPORTED BY U.S. ARMY EUROPE



## U.S. ARMY EUROPE

prepares U.S. forces for Full Spectrum Conflict while strengthening the transatlantic alliance for tomorrow's contingencies.

By 2015 **U.S. Army Europe** will command approximately 37,000 Soldiers, balanced across a mix of heavy, Stryker and airborne brigade combat teams combined with key theater support elements. This full-spectrum balance ensures **U.S. Army Europe** is capable, effective and best able to address current and future security challenges.

### GLOBAL OPERATION CONTRIBUTION

Train and prepare full spectrum capable forces for global employment.

### BUILDING PARTNER CAPACITY

Enhance U.S. and partner nation capacities through proactive theater security cooperation initiatives.

### STRATEGIC POSITIONING

Reassure European allies of U.S. support to NATO. Facilitate enhanced U.S. and Allied training opportunities.

### OEF & OIF CONTRIBUTION

Provide forces and facilitate training for troop contributions from European partner nations.

**U.S. Army Europe's** presence on the continent builds the political and popular support among our European allies vital to helping abate regional security threats and worldwide aggression.

The relationships we build with our European partners during 350 theater security cooperation events in 42 countries each year leads to trust and compatibility for military operations such as in Iraq, Afghanistan, and in recent support to operations in Libya.

**U.S. Army Europe** has provided 25-40 percent of its assigned forces to support operations in Iraq and Afghanistan since the start of combat actions.

Just as important, our influence directly relates to the 37,000 troops our European allies and partners currently contribute to the Afghan and Iraqi Security Forces.